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FM AMEMBASSY CANBERRA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5720

INFO AMCONSUL BRISBANE

AMCONSUL MELBOURNE

AMCONSUL PERTH

AMCONSUL SYDNEY

USMISSION GENEVA

USMISSION OECD PARIS

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UNCLAS CANBERRA 3042

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ETRD, OECD, GATT, AS

SUBJ: AUSTRALIAN IMPORT RESTRICTIONS: TEMPORARY PROTECTION

AGAINST IMPORTS OF SPORTING AMMUNITION REQUESTED

1. DEPARTMENT OF MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY HAS CIRCULATED
NOTICE INVITING SUBMISSIONS FROM INTERESTED PARTIES ON
QUESTION OF TEMPORARY PROTECTION AGAINST IMPORTS OF
SPORTING AMMUNITION.

2. U.S. IS SIGNIFICANT SUPPLIER TO THIS SMALL MARKET AS
SHOWN IN FOLLOWING TABLE (FIGURES IN ADOL'000. U.S.
MARKET SHARE IN PAREN., ADOL 1.00 EQUALS USDOL 1.34);

A. PERCUSSION CAPS FY73 FY74 FY75 THRU FEB

ITEM 36.04.000

TOTAL IMPORTS	61.2	117.6	92.8
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IMPORTS FROM US	30.4	30.2	64.7
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(49.6)	(25.7)	(69.7)
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B. 0.22 CAL. RIM FIRE

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SPORTING AMMUNITION

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TOTAL IMPORTS	185.6	241.3	432.5
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COUNTRY DETAILS

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C. 12 GAUGE SHOTGUN

CARTRIDGES

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TOTAL IMPORTS	59.0	140.5	222.2
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IMPORTS FROM US	2.8	24.8	34.7
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(4.7)	(17.7)	(15.6)
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D. SHOT GUN CARTRIDGES

OTHER THAN 12 GAUGE

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TOTAL IMPORTS	25.5	44.8	23.5
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IMPORTS FROM US	20.4	25.1	17.6
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(80.1)	(56.1)	(74.7)
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E. POWER LOADS

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TOTAL IMPORTS	NO DETAILS	50.6	42.0
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IMPORTS FROM US	AVAIL FOR	8.3	23.8
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FY73	(16.3)	(56.8)
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F. SHOT

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TOTAL IMPORTS	NO DETAILS AVAIL	141.7
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IMPORTS FROM US	FOR FY73 AND FY74	69.8
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3. INTERESTED PARTIES SHOULD FORWARD SUBMISSIONS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY, CANBERRA 2600, ATTN: M.J. MESSENGER, BY MAY 23. AFTER MAY 23, SUBMISSIONS SHOULD BE SENT TO TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE AUTHORITY, IAC BUILDING, KINGS AVENUE, CANBERRA 2600. GREEN

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